

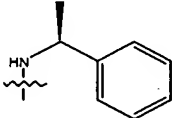
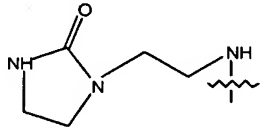
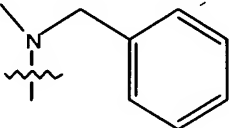
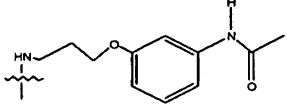
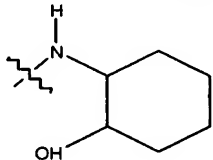
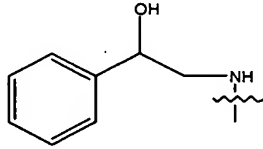
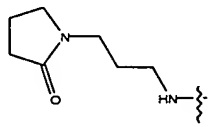
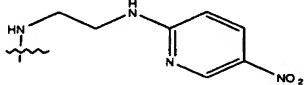
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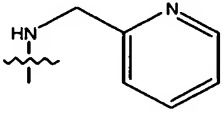
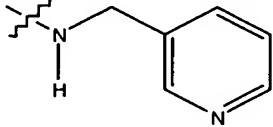
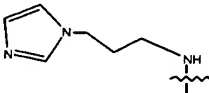
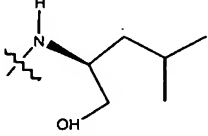
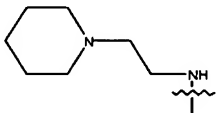
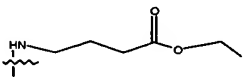
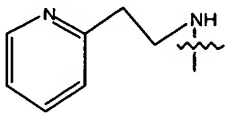
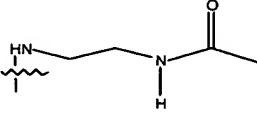
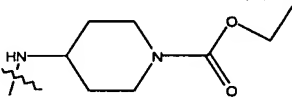
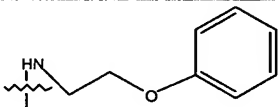
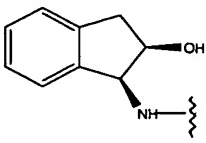
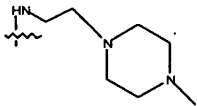
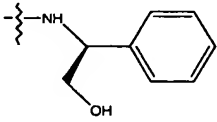
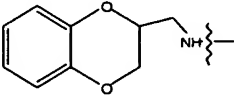
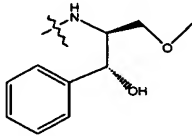
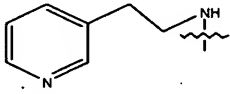
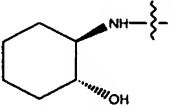
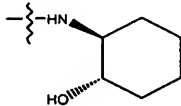
On page 1, after the title, please insert the following paragraph:

-- This application is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 09/728,229, filed December 1, 2000, now allowed, which is a continuation of PCT International Application No. PCT/US99/12135, filed June 1, 1999, designating the United States of America, which is a continuation-in-part and claims priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/087,702, filed June 2, 1998, U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/123,216, filed March 8, 1999 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/126,527, filed March 26, 1999 the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference. --

Please replace the portions of Table 1 appearing on pages 42-43, with the following:

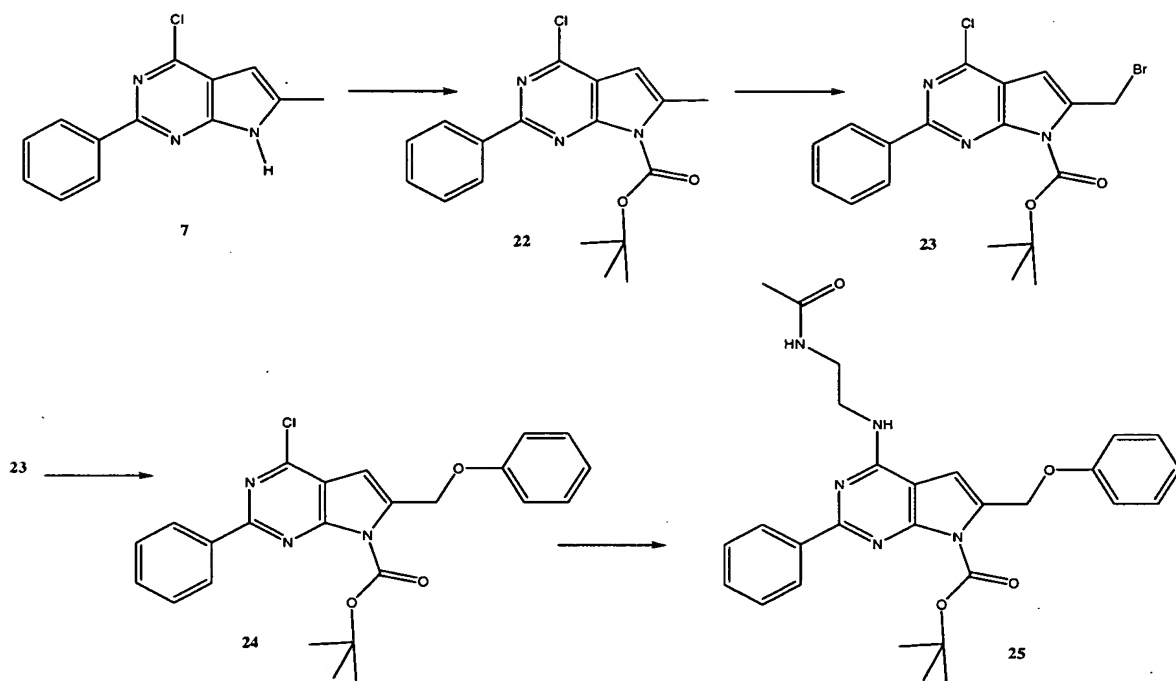
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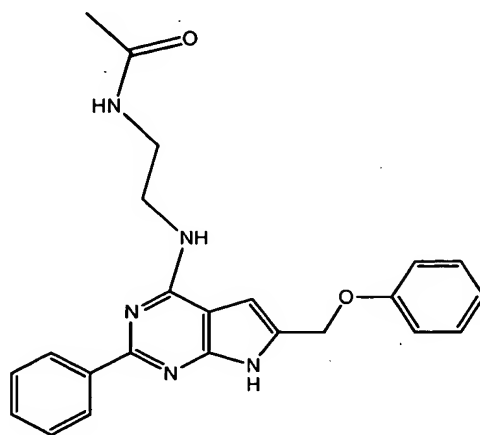
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	403.33		344.48
	351.49		337.53

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On page 85, please insert the following scheme before the paragraph beginning on line 24:



On page 87, please insert the following structure above the number "25" appearing on line 10:



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Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 94, line 25 as follows:

-- The genetic markers are as described in ~~Example 1~~ above, except for the G-protein variation. For human A<sub>2a</sub> receptor-expression, yeast strains were utilized in which the endogenous yeast G protein GPA1 had been deleted and replaced by a mammalian G<sub>αs</sub>. Three rat G<sub>αs</sub> mutants were utilized. These variants contain one or two point mutations which convert them into proteins which couple efficiently to yeast βγ. They are identified as G<sub>αs</sub>E10K (in which the glutamic acid at position ten is replaced with lysine), G<sub>αs</sub>D229S (in which the aspartic acid at position 229 is replaced with serine) and G<sub>αs</sub>E10K+D229S (which contains both point mutations). --

Please amend the paragraph appearing on page 98, lines 25-30 as follows:

-- In order to determine if this inhibitory effect was specific to the A<sub>1</sub> subtype, a series of complementary experiments were performed with the yeast-based A<sub>2a</sub> receptor assay ~~(described in Example 4)~~. Results obtained with the A<sub>2a</sub> yeast-based assay indicated that XAC was a relatively effective A<sub>2a</sub> receptor antagonist, consistent with published reports. In contrast, DPCPX was relatively inert at this receptor, as expected from published reports.--

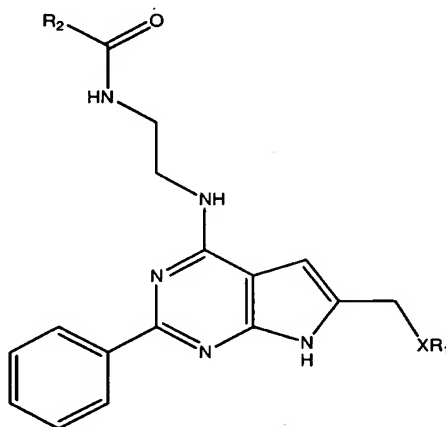
Please amend the paragraph appearing on page 103, lines 1-4 as follows:

-- For a further description of the assays identified, see U.S. Application ~~Serial No. 09/088985~~, Publication No. US-2002-0015967-A1, published February 7, 2002, entitled "Functional Expression of Adenosine Receptors in Yeast", ~~filed June 2, 1998~~

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now abandoned, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference. --

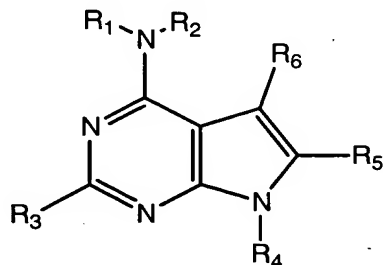
On page 124, please insert the following structure below the line which states "Profile of Selective A2b Antagonists":



Please amend the abstract of the invention appearing on page 158, lines 4-5 as follows:

~~-- Novel deazapurines are disclosed which are useful for the treatment of adenosine stimulated diseases.~~

This invention pertains to compounds having the structure:



wherein R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> together form a substituted or unsubstituted heterocyclic ring; R<sub>3</sub> is a substituted or unsubstituted aryl moiety; R<sub>4</sub> is a hydrogen atom, an unsubstituted alkyl, or a substituted or unsubstituted aryl moiety; and R<sub>5</sub> and R<sub>6</sub> are each independently a halogen atom, a hydrogen atom or a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, aryl, or alkylaryl moiety, or a

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pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and the use of these compounds to treat a disease associated with increased levels of adenosine in a subject. --